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TEXT:

((TEXT)) BEIJING, DECEMBER 4 (XINHUA) -- CHINA'S TOP SPORTS
OFFICIAL WU SHAOZU WAS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL QIGONG
SCIENCE FEDERATION (IQSF) AT ITS THIRD COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT XI'AN
IN WEST CHINA ON MONDAY.

WU, MINISTER OF THE STATE COMMISSION FOR PHYSICAL CULTURE AND SPORTS, WAS CHOSEN BY IQSF REPRESENTATIVES FROM 22 COUNTRIES AND REGIONS INCLUDING JAPAN, SINGAPORE, MALAYSIA, INDONESIA, THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, FRANCE, ARGENTINA, GERMANY, SWITZERLAND, CANADA, THE PHILIPPINES, AUSTRALIA, TOGO, YUGOSLAVIA, THAILAND, THE SOVIET UNION, SOUTH KOREA, CHINESE TAIPEI, MACAO, HONG KONG AND HOST CHINA. QIGONG IS ALSO KNOWN AS BREATHING EXERCISE, WHICH IS ONE KIND OF

CHINESE WAYS FOR HEALTH KEEPING AND BODY STRENGTHENING.

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